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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, the reference(s) listed on the attached form PTO-1449 are being brought to the attention of the Examiner for consideration in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application. Copies of the cited documents are enclosed.

Certification Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)

This information is being submitted subsequent to the later of three months after the filing date of the present application or the mailing of the first Office action on the merits, but before the mailing of a final action or the notice of allowance. Accordingly,

The undersigned hereby certifies:

That to the knowledge of the undersigned, after making reasonable inquiry, no item of information contained in this statement was known to any individual designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this statement.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner indicate consideration of the cited references by returning a copy of the attached form PTO-1449 with initials or other appropriate marks.

Respectfully submitted,



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